WHAT COUNCILMEN ARE NOW DOING

Mr. Joseph Wallerstein's Movement for Cheaper Gas.

BEAUTIFYING THE CITY PARKS.

Mr. W. H. Curtis Is Interested in New Jail, Viaduct and Itiver Improvement-Work at Cemeteries-II. P. Beck Wants Appropriat'n

Interesting suggestions have been thrown out recently by several of the members of both branches of the City Council as to how best to improve the streets, parks, cemeteries and general sanitary condition cemeteries and general samitary condition of the city. Some of the members evade the tidea of having a new jail, in spite of the deplorable condition of the present dilap dated, inadequate structure. There are many members, however, who are heartily in favor of building the new jail at once. Mr. W. H. Curris is not only in favor of building the jail, but is advocating the granule viaduct scheme with much interest. He is mostly interested in the The mark of the services of the services. This money will be employed in enarging the Richmond harbor, deepening the channel, and improving the river.

Bad blood makes bad complexions.

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purifies and invigorates the old and makes new, rich blood that nourishes the body and keeps the skin active and healthy and in proper condition to perform its part towards carrying off the impurities from the body. If you have Ferrance in the polymer in the polymer in the polymer in the polymer.

the channel, and improving the river.

MR. WALLERSTEIN FOR CHEAP GAS
The movement started by Mr. Joseph
Wallerstein about a year ago to reduce the
Drice of gas used by the residents of the
city from \$1 to \$6 cents per 1.000 feet has
been revived and a resolution to make the
level lower is now awaiting the consideprice lower is now awaiting the consideration of the Council Committee an Lights. This resolution, if adopted, will reduce gas bills about 29 per cent, in many instances. When the price of gas is reduced it is thought that hundreds of housekeepers, the hotels and restaurants or the city will use it freely for cooking purposes. Many of the members of the Council are reported as being heartily in favor of the reduced price of gas and its

use for cooking purposes.

The new machinery and engines now being put in at the gas works will afford a larger supply of gas and make the plant one of the most efficient in the coun-try, Mr. W. K. Knowles, the superintendent, is very much encouraged over the progress made thus far in improving the

IMPROVING THE PARKS. One of the many things the Council Committee on Grounds and Buildings has considered during the past two months was a method for improving the pasts of was a method for improving the parks of the city and putting them in a creditable condition. Already contracts have been let for putting hydrants in the parks for the purpose of sprinkling the various sec-tions. It is proposed to keep each of the parks verdant and beautifed.

M5. Henry P. Beck, as a member of the Council Committee on Cemeteries, is

interesting himself in the improvement of Shockee Hill Cemetery. He wants to get an appropriation from the Council to go anead with improving the cemetery at once. Mr. Beck asked Mr. George B. once, Mr. Beck asked Mr. George B. Davis if he could not put some of the men he had as inmates at the Almshouses to work in the cemetery. Mr. Davis said that he put two of the old men out at work, whitewashing a fence

the inmates on such werk.

THE TRASH BOXES. THE TRASH BOXES.

A movement is now in progress to have trash boxes placed on the street corners of the city and it is sanctioned by the president of the Board of Health, Dr. W. T. Oppenhimer, the Committee on Health and some of the members of the City Council. Dr. Oppenhimer thinks that the boxes would tend to improve the sanitary condition of the city. These boxes will be used for holding waste paper, fruit pealing and other wasts material not properly called "garbage." Garbage consists of kitchen refuse, dead animals, combustible waste, animal and vegetable matter, condemned food and waste mater condemned food and waste mate-

The Council Committee on Health is now planning methods for improving the streets of the city from a sanitary standpoint and will do a great deal of work along this line.

ST. ANDREW'S BROTHERHOOD.

Important Meeting of the Order to Be Held.

The Brotherhool of St. Andrew will hold its regular quarterly meeting in the lecture-room of Grace-Street Church to-morrow evening at 8:15 o'clock. The meeting will be of unusual importance, as mat-ters in connection with the National Con-vention to be held here will come up for lowing committees have been ap-

pointed to make arrangements for the en-tertainment of the convention: Registration Committee—A. S. Gibson, (chairman); W. W. Hardwick, Seldon

Walke, W. F. Powers, Lewis Brander, Robert Tabb, Horace Stringfellow, Vena-able Johnson, C. Y. Bargamin, E. M. Crutchfield, J. A. Moncure, Wm, N. Jones,

Committee on Information-Henry L. Valentine, (chairman); H. S. Morrison, Robert Nash, Walter Christian, C. C. Baughman, R. F. Peyton, W. McKim Mar-

rlott and James Fisher. Press Committee-Joseph H. Shepherd,

(chairman); F. J. Craigie, Eugene Jones, H. C. Riley and George A. Nolting, Jr. Hotel Committee—Thomas C. Ruffin, (chairman); Col. J. V. Bidgood, P. P.

Transportation Committee-Steward M. Woodward, (chairman); Thomas Poindex-

ter and William Taliaferro,
Reception Committee Committee—S.
Rutherford Rose, (chairman); John B.
Minor, Jr., John M. Taylor, F. C. Christan, Robert S. Rives, Taylor Curtis, W. T. Tyrer, M. M. McGuire, Thomas Arm-strong, H. M. Vaughan, Horace Slater, Byrd Newton and Channing Newton.
Printing Committee-R. H. Meade, (chairman); James T. Estes and G. W. Mc-

DIVIDE THE REWARD.

Those Who Captured Escaped Convicts

Reach an Agreement. Reach an Agreement.

There will be no further wrangling among those who captured the two escaped convicts for whom a reward of \$100 was offered. There were eight claimants for the reward, but they have reached an agreement. They went out to the penitentiary last Tue-day afternoon, thinking there would be a meeting of the Beard of Directors Mr. A. C. ing of the Board of Directors. Mr. A. C. Harman was the only member present, Messrs. John Murphy and W. D. Chester-man being out of the city. The claim-

Horsferd's Acid Phosphate Brain Workers. Strengthens the exhausted and con

used brain, relieves nervous headache, and induces refreshing sleep. ne '--- name Horsford's on wrapper,

BAD BLOOD, BAD COMPLEXION.

The skin is the seat of an almost endless variety of diseases. They are known by various names, but are all due to the same cause, acid and other poisons in the blood that irritate and interfere with

the proper action of the skin.

To have a smooth, soft skin, free from all eruptions, the blood must be kept pure and healthy. The many preparations of arsenic and potash and the large number of fear powders and lotions generally of face powders and lotions generally used in this class of diseases cover up for a short time, but cannot remove permanently the ugly blotches and the red, disfiguring pimples.

Eternal vigilance is the price of a beautiful complexion

when such remedies are relied on.

Mr. H. T. Shobe, 2704 Lucas Avenue, St. Louis,
Mo., says: "My daughter was afflicted for years
with a disfiguring eruption on her face, which
resisted all treatment. She was taken to two
celebrated health springs, but received no benefit. Many medicines were prescribed, but without result, until we decided to try S. S. S., and by
the time the first bottle was finished the cruption
began to disappear. A dozen bottles cured her
completely and left her skin perfectly smooth.
She is now seventeen years old, and not a sign of
the embarrassing disease has ever returned."

S. S. S. is a positive unfailing cure for

S. S. S. is a positive, unfailing cure for the worst forms of skin troubles. It is the greatest of all blood purifiers, and the only one guaranteed purely vegetable. Bad blood makes bad complexions.

ants offered to leave the whole matter ants offered to leave the whole matter to the decided of Mr. Harman, but he declined to settle the controversy in the absence of his associates. The claimants went into conference, and reached an agreement. They decided that seven should each receive \$10 and that Mr. Ollie Hope, who stopped the runaway, should be paid \$20. Mr. Harman, at the request of the men, drew up the agreement, and the money was paid by Superintendent Helms.

GO TO NEWPORT NEWS.

Mr. Neukirch and His Counsel to Ap

pear There To-Morrow. In the Police Court yesterday Mr. Otto Neukirch, who was arrested on a warrant from Newport News, on the charge of embezzlement, was granted bail in the sum of \$1,000 for his appearance in the Police Court at Newport News on Monday morning, with Mr. Joseph W.

Blanton as surety, Mr. Neukirch was represented by Mr. L. Aff. Neukirch was represented by Mr. L. O. Wendenburg, who stated that his client was interested in the Schulz Brewing Co., of Newport News, and that he held bonds of that concern amounting to \$1,190. He was secretary and treasurer at \$250 a month, but did not think the concern was able to pay him because of the limited amount of capital. When he left the company they owed him one month's salcompany they owed him one month's sat-ary, and for back salary they had given him the bonds referred to. He felt that there was little in the case, and he would leave with his client for Newport News this morning, as they were anxious to have the case disposed of.

CAPT. LAMB'S LOSS.

Is Minus His Pocketbook as the Resuit of a Recent Trip.

Congressman John Lamb had the misfortune to lose his pocketbook, containing about \$5 in money and some valuable papers, while on the train going to Goochand several days ago. The book is supposed to have slipped out of the Captain's pocket and been left on the seat of the car. Up to this time he has not recovered it, and he is much worried over the loss of his papers.

MANY CIGARETTES.

Sale of Stamps Indicates Increase in Manufacture.

Judging from the number of internal revenue stamps being purchased, more ci-garettes are being manufactured in Rich-mond than ever before. There has been a steady increase for some time. steady increase for some time.

The business of three or four plug manufacturers has shown a marked increase lately. These manufacturers are sending out cards with their tobacco, announcing that the article is not manufactured by a trust.

Want to Have Baths.

Editor of The Times:

Sir.—The question has been raised and is being much discussed as to the pro-priety of the Council allowing swimming and buthing pools to be established at the and pathing pools to be established at the New Reservoir Lake. If "our City Fa-thers" will permit the erection of such necessary biuldings, establish proper po-lice protection, and see that reasonable restrictions are imposed on the company obtaining this privilege as to charge they shall make for baths, &c., the Coun cil for 1900 will have taken a good, long step forward in the promotion of the

I am heartily in favor of the establishment of these baths, and the New Reservoir, where the two street-car lines meet is the ideal place. CHARLES V. CARRINGTON, M. D.,

923 Park Avenue.

August 17, 1900.

The Chief's Commendation, Officer Thomas, of the Third District, was on his way home at relief time at 1 o'clock yesterday morning when he saw a negro a short distance ahead of him. He called out to the darkey to half, but the negro ran faster, when several shots were fired at him. He was caught, but found to be all right and allowed to go.

The people in the neighborhood were alarmed to some extent, and the officer was commended by Major Howard for his efforts to capture a man whom he thought suspiciou character.

Charged With Theft.

Detective John T. Hall arrested a negro about 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon for stealing 1.500 cigarettes from W. B. West & Co., on South Fourteenth Street. The negro was a porter at the store. The cigarettes were found at the home of the porter. The case will be heard by Squire Graves to-morrow.

Wanted in Danville.

A young negro, giving the name of Neal Henderson, was arrested yesterday mornsuspicious character. He had in his possession a valuable Ma-sonic charm, belonging to Mr. James Neal, of Danville. Mr. Neal will be communicated with, and

the negro will be held. An Old Firm Branching Out. Mr. Samuel S. Rosendorf left for Boston on Monday for a week's rest in the New Hampshire hills, after which he will visit the leading markets in search of goods for the new departments of his growing business, which will occupy building No. 1206 East Main Street after September 15th.

REV. A. J. HALL WILL RESIGN

The Pastor of Monroe Baptist Church to Leave.

REV. C. P. STEALEY MAY ACCEPT.

Report That a Letter from Him Will Be Read at Broaddus-Memorial Church To-Day-Church News and Catholic Notes.

The Rev. A. J. Hall will this morning tender his resignation as pastor of Monroe Baptist Caurch. Mr. Hall leaves the Monroe Church to take a two years' course in the Southern Baptist Theological Semi-

nary at Louisville, Ky.

Mr. Hall has proven eminently satisfactory to his congregation, and their relations have been mutually pleasant. Many regrets were expressed at his determination to leave the church.

PASTOR MAY ACCEPT. While Rev. Dr. Russell Ceeh, of Selma, Ala., has not stated positively that he would accept the call that will be extended him by the congregation of the Second Presbyterian Church, it is pretty well un-derstood that he will come to Richmond. When the committee of gentlemen rep-resenting the church visited Dr. Cecil at Bedford City and talked with him concern-ing the proposed call, he manifested much interest, and, it is understood, his conver-sation was such as to encourage the com-

sation was such as to encourage the committee to believe he would accept.

A letter has been received by the Nominating Committee of Broaddus Memorial Church from Rev. C. P. Stealey, of Martinsburg, W. Va., who has been tendered a call to the above-namel church, which will be read to the congregation to-day.

An effort to find out the contents of the letter proved to be of no avail, but it is understood and reported that Mr. Stealey has accepted the call.

MOVE THE CHURCH.

Services will be heid for the lest time to-day at the West-View Baptist Church. To-morrow the contractors will begin the work of moving the church to the new lot on Grove Avenue, recently pur-

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chased. Rev. Dr. I. M. Mercer, the pastor, will preach at both services to-day.

During the progress of the work, incident to moving the church, services will be

beld in the bleycle rink on Main Street, between Short and Harvey, whither all the church furniture will be moved.

Dr. Mercer has been pastor of this church for five and a half years. It now has a congregation of three hundred and in the least of the church for the same pastor of the church for five and a half years.

has a congregation of three hundred and is united and energetie.

Rev. Charles F. Rankin, of Red Springs, N. C., with his wife, is spending some time at Union Seminary with Rev. G. B. Strickler, D. D., the father of Mr. Rankin, Mr. Kankin will preach at the Church of the Covenant this morning and to-night.

MR. HENING HERE.

Rev. B. Cabel Hening returned to the city Friday from Wynn's Church, in Hanover, where, for the past week he has been assisting Dr. J. R. Garlick in a special meeting. He reports that the meet-

cial meeting. He reports that the meet-ing was a very fine one, twenty-three persons being received into the church. The church at which the meeting was held is one of the oldest in the State. It was built 124 years ago, its first pastor being Rev. John Clay; father of Henry

Clay. Mr. Hening says that it is delightful to see such a harmonious and spiritual body of Christians as constitute the congrega-tion at present. They are all devoted to the present pastor, Dr. Garlick, and he to them.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock a prayer, praise and consecration service will be held at No. 2512 East Leigh Street, at the conclusion of which plans will be devised for another series of meetings like those recently held at East Richmond Hall, All who are interested in this work, are cor-

Hally invited to attend.

Rev. A. D. Louthan will supply the pulpit at Howard's Grove Baptist Church during the last two Sundays in August. Rev. Dr. Georgo Cooper, who is spend-ing his vacation in Denver, writes that the is having a delightful time. The weather, he says, is cool; about like it is here late in September.
Rev. J. R. Garlick, D. D., will supply

the pulpit of Dr. A. B. Woodfin, at Hampton next Sunday. This church was Dr. Garlick's first pastorate.

AT GROVE-A letter received Friday evening from Rev. J. B. Hawthorne, D. D., states that he has about recovered from a severe spell of neuralgia and cold, and that he be zere to fill his pulpit at Grove-ue Church this morning. His sub-will be: "Friendships, True and

Dr. Hawthorne has been spending the month of August at Afton, Va. About a week ago he was taken sick and could not fill his pulpit last Sunday. His congregation and the community at large will be

greatly pleased to hear of his restored good health. MR. POWELL HERE. MR. POWELL HEALE.

Rev. E. L. Powell, of Louisville, Ky., will preach this morning at 11 o'clock at the Seventh-Street Christian Church. His subject will be "The Humbled and Exalted Christ." There will be no service at

The pulpit at the First Baptist Church als morning will be filled by Rev. S. Gardner, D. D., of Greenville, S. No service will be held at night.

f. E. Thacker will preach at 11 at the Second Presbyterian Church.

Rev. W. E. Evans, D. D., paster of Monumental Episcopal Church, will fill

BREAD DYSPEPSIA.

The Digesting Element Left Out, Bread dyspepsia is common. It effects he bowels because white bread is nearly all starch, and starch is digested in the in-testines, not in the stomach proper. Up under the shell of the wheat berry, Nature has provided a curious deposit which is turned into diastase when it is subjected to the saliva and to the pancreatic juices

in the human intestines. This diastase is absolutely necessary to digest starch and turn it into grape sugar, which is the next form; but that part of the wheat berry makes dark flour, and the modern miller cannot readily sell lark flour, so Nature's valuable digestor is thrown out and the human system must handle the starch as best it can, vithout the help that Nature intended.

the help that Nature intended.

Small wonder that appendicitis, peritonitis, constipation, and all sorts of trouble exist, when ye go so contrary to Nature's law. The food experts that perfected Grape-Nuts Food, knowing these facts, made use, in their experiments, of the entire wheat and barley, including all the pears and explicated them to moisture. the parts, and subjected them to meisture, and long continued warmth, which allows time and the proper conditions for developments of the proper conditions for developments. oping the diastase, outside of the human

In this way the starchy part is transformed into grape sugar in a perfectly natural manner, without the use of chem-icals or any outside ingredients. The icals or any outside ingreatents. The little sparkling crystals of grape Sugar can be seen on the pieces of Grape-Nuts. This food therefore is naturally predigested and its use in place of bread will quickly correct the troubles that have been brought about by the too free use of starch in the food, and that is very common in the human race to-day.

The effect of eating Grape-Nuts ten days or two weeks, and the discontinuance of

The effect of earthy or two weeks, and the discontinuance of ordinary white bread, is very marked. The user will gain rapidly in strength ordinary white bleast part and physical and mental health,

his pulpit as usual this morning. No service is held in this church in the

No service is field in this church in the afternoon during August.

Union services of the congregation of Grace-Street and First Presbyterian churches will be held this morning and at night at the latter church. Priaching will be by Rev. W. N. Scott, D. D., of Galveston, Texas. Sunday-school services will be held at 9:30 o'clock in the morning.

morning.

There will be no preaching at the Third Presbyterian Church this morning or at

Rev. C. D. Crawley will preach at both services at Union Station Methodist Church to-day. Rev. W. Dudley Powers, D. D., general secretary of the American Church Mission-ary Society, of New York, will officiate

SERVICES TO-DAY.

ary Society, of New York, will officiate at St. Paul's to-day in the morning and at night.

Rev. Dr. W. W. Landrum, D. D., of Atlanta, Ga., will preach this morning at the Second Baptist Church.

Rev. G. H. Spooner will conduct the usual services at Trinity.

Rev. C. F. Rankin, of Red Springs, N. C., will preach this morning and at night at the Church of the Covenant.

Rev. J. T. Besman will fill his pulpit to-day at Park-Place.

At the Broad-Street Methodist Church

to-day at Park-Place.

At the Broad-Street Methodist Church this morning, Rev. W. B. Beauchamp will preach. In the evening at \$15 o'clock his subject will be "The Kingdom of God and Starving India." This will be the sixth of a special series of serious.

Rev. J. M. T. Childrey, of Woodbury, N. J., will conduct services at Legh-Street Baptist Church this morning and at night.

Rev. W. H. Riddick, of Bon Air, will preach at both services to-day at Clay-Street M. E. Church.

Rev. S. A. Steel, D. D., has returned to the city and will fill his pulpit at Centenary this morning and at night.

Rev. W. E. Hatcher, D. D., pastor of Grace-Street Paptist Church, returned to the city yesterlay, and will fill his pulpit to-day.

night. Rev. W. H. Riddick, of Bon Air, will

TO THE YOUN MEN. Mr. Frank W. Laughton will be coarr-man of the Young Men's Christian Asso-ciation men's meeting this after-noon at 4 o'clock. The theme will be "The Young Man and Hs Work." Quite

"The Young Man and Hs Work." Quite a number of the young men will take part in this service.

The Boys' Gospel Army will meet at 3 o'clock in the music-room and the Workers' Training Class at 5:15 in the parlor.

Rev. R. B. Coller, who has been away two weeks, holding meetings in York county, Va., returned to the city Friday, and left yesterday afternoon for Chesterfield, where he will aid Rev. T. J. Nettles in a meeting, beginning this morning. Mr. Collier reports that a terrific storm y sited Yorktown and Lie terrific storm visited Yorktown and the surrounding community on Thursday

night.

CATHOLIC NOTES.

The Confraternity of the Holy Ghost will meet this afternoon after vespers at the Cathedral.

The Boys' Sodality of the Immaculate Conception of St. Patrick's Church will attend Holy Communion this morning in

attend Holy Communion this morning in a body.

The young ladies of the Sacred Heart League of Sacred Heart Church will meet this afternoon after vespers. In the morning they will receive Holy Communion in a body.

Vespers and benediction at the Cathedral is at a P. M.

Masses on Sundays at St. Mary's Church for the present are as follows. Low masses

is at 3 P. M.

Masses on Sundays at St. Mary's Church for the present are as follows. Low masses at 6 and 7:39 and High Mass at 9 o'clock. Vespers at 4 P. M.

Work has been begun on the new building at Belmont, N. C. It is located just west of the chapel. The trustees contemplate building a residence for Bishop Haid, of the diocese, on the grounds. Rev. Father John, O. S. B., chaplain at Hollybrook, paid a visit to St. Mary's Church during the past week.

Mr. John B. Billey acted as chief marshal at the tournament given at Otterburn Spring, Amella county, on last Wednesday, Mr. Coleman Cadigan, of New York, is on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Mike Craven. en Williamsburg Avenue.

Mr. Charles H. Daly, of Washington, D. C., who has been on a visit to his parents, on Church Hill, left last week for Portland, Me., and Boston, Mass., where he will remain the remainder of the summer.

The Misses Eva, Maggie, and Emma. Daly, of Church Hill, are spending the summer months at Peaks, Va.

Mr. Richard Daly, of Church Hill, has gone to Boston, Mass., to visit his sister.

Misses Katle and Cecclia Bowen, of Fulton, left last Saturday for Baltimore, Md., where they will remain the rest of the summer.

Brother Maurice (Daly), of the Xava-

Md., where they will remain the rest of the summer.

Brother Maurice (Daly), of the Xavarian Brothers of Baltimore, is in the city, visiting his sisters, Misses Ann and Mary Daly, of No. 3106 Lester Street, Fulton.

Mr. Peter Sullivan, of North Twentieth Street, who has been sick with fever, is improving.

Mr. Charles O. Donnell, of Sharpsburg He came to attend he funeral of his cousin, Miss Lizzie Gaven. Mr. James Hartley, of Fulton, left last week for Paris and his birthplace.

Emerald Isle. He will be away for two onths. Mr. Pat. Sullivan, of North Thirtieth Street, is sick at home, John J. Blake, of Church Hill, has returned to the city from a visit to Buck-

The July Report.

Section Director Evans, of the Weather Bureau, has just received the report of Dr., Geddings, in charge of the Porto Rico section of the bureau. The matter contained section of the bureau. Lee matter contained in the report is of an exceeding; y inter esting nature. Dr. Gedding's reference to the climate and crop conditions ther during the month of July is as follows: "Generally favorable showers occurred during the month, proving very beneficial to all classes of minor productions. Corn and beans were gathered in large quantities, and much rice was planted during the month. Pasturage has been good, and cattle have remained in excellent considerable during the month. dition. High winds prevailed during the month, in some instances inflicting damage of consderation on growing crops. Young canes are reported as making satisfactory progress, although the combination of heat and moisture has been very con-ducive to the growth of weeds, unramitting attention being required to keep them Reports concerning coffee wire generally unsatisfactory."

Will Watch the River.

The United States Weather Bureau will establish two river reporting stations on the upper water-shed of the James, the stations to be in operation by September 1. They will report directly to the Richmand office when rainfall in this section is office when raintal in this section is sufficient to cause any considerable rise in the river. They are established especially for the purpose of giving information concerning floods and freshets, and will be of great convenience in determining the probable state of the river. Who will have charge of these stations, has not yet been decided. has not yet been decided.

Transcript of Record.

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The transcript of the record in the case
of O. E. Latshaw vs. The Southern Penn.
Oil Company, from the United States District Court for West Virginia, was received by the clerk of the United States
Circuit Court of Appeals yesterday. It
was declared for hearing at the Cottoken vas docketed for hearing at the October

Tobacco Selling High.

Tobacco has taken a rise during the last few weeks, and prices are likely to steadily increase.

The reason for this is the great damage the growing crop by the recent The yield this year, in the opinion of

less than one-third of the many, will be less than one-third of the usual crop. Farmers who have held their last year's crop are fortunate, for the increase in the selling price is already two hound. or three cents a pound,

BRIGHT'S DISEASE OF KIDNEYS.



HON. JOHN T. SHEAHAN.

Hon. John T. Sheahan, who has been for seventeen years manager of Marshall, Field & Co.'s wholesale warehouse, and is corporal Second Regiment Infantry, I. N. G., writes the following letter from No. 3753 Indiana Avenue, Flat Six, Chicago, Ill.:

Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio:

Gentlemen-"Last summer I eaught a cold which seemed to settle in my kidneys and affected them badly. I tried a couple of kidney remedies largely advertised, but they did not help me any. One of my foremen told me of the great help he had received in usuing Peruna in a similar case, and I at once procured some.

"It was indeed a blessing to me, as I am on my feet a large part of the day, truble such as I had affected me seriously, but four bottles of Peruna cured me entirely and I would not be without it for three month's salary." John T. Sheahan. Yours truly,

Mr. Jacob Fleig writes from No. 44 Sum-Mr. Jacob Field writes from No. 4 sem-ner Avenue, Brookiya, N. Y.; "I had been suffering with caterrh for many years after my discharge from the United States service in 1865. I could get no relief from the many different proprietary medicines stomach, without any previous warning, refused to perform its functions, and I soon lost strength; food was forced through my stomach by using cathartes.

Lerge blind piles bid fair to block all and doctors. I spert a large amount of money trying to be cured, but of no avail. One day I was advised by a comade of my G. A. R. Post to try Peruna.
did, and after using it for eight weeks,
found myself wholly cured. I am now a new man at the age of seventyfive years, thanks to your wonderful remedy. I can frankly recommend it to all suffering with caterrh."

GEORGE KENNEY

WAS NOT POSTED

He Didn't Know it Was Wrong to

Sell Railroad Iron.

'SOUIRE LONNIE LET HIM GO.

James Robinson, a Small Darkey, Was

Sent to the Reformatory as an

Incorrigible-Other

'Squire Lonnie's docket yesterday was

George Kenny, an old colored man, didn't

know it was wrong to pick up railroad iron along the side of the track.

He had been doing it for some time, and when the pile got big in his backyard he wanted to got it out of the way.

onvinced by the doctors that her little

boy, who was bitten by Mr. Tucker's dog would not have the hydrophobia from

the b.te. A whole lot of witnesses were on hand to testify in the case, but when

Mr. Tucker said he would keep his eye

on the dog and Mrs. Vaughan said she would keep her eye on her boy, everybody

James Robinson, a small colored boy, was charged with hitting and cutting John Taylor, a colored man. It was shown

that Taylor was as much in the frying-pan as was James in the fire, so they

A colored lawyer, who was present in court, arose and in a most courteous man-

ner, suggested that the boy Robinson be sent to the Negro Reformatory, as he was a hard case and was growing up in

SENT TO REFORMATORY.

Squire Lonnie accepted the suggestion and the boy was sent to the Reformatory

Harry Gary, a small darkey, acknowl-

edged that he saw Willie Gray's watch

A PROMINENT DOCTOR SPEAKS.

quite the contrary. The scientist is enger

to grasp truth in whatever field it may

be found, and the fact that Tyner's Dys-

pepsia Remedy is so meritorious calls

"Chipley, Ga., August 4, 1894.-Dr. C. O.

Tyner, Atlanta, Ga.: I think it is due

you that I should say that Tyner's Dys-

pepsia Remedy has done more for me than all other preparations that I have tred. I think it is a valuable remedy for

chronic dyspepsia and indigestion. It has

forth from him a testimonial:

He is not talking about medical ethics;

were fined \$5 und costs each.

departed well satisfied.

the criminal class

or eighteen months.

ful voldings resembled beef's gall. With flesh wasted away, strength exhausted so that it took all my energy to even get into a bath-tub, hopes all gone, I saw Peruna advertised. I wrote to Dr. Hart-man, who told me that catarrh had possession of my head, throat, stomach and lying on a table and picked it up. He

Mr. O. S. McQuillan writes from Spring

Hill, Mo.: "Four years ago last fall my

evacuation. My kidneys soon became in-volved, so that the scant and often pain-

in beating William Lewis and both parties saw the humor of the thing, and let it go on the payment of costs. Squ're Lonnie had a number of revenue cases to dispose of and then the court adjourned until Monday morning at 3.30

Judge Wickham Discharges a Negro.

Napoleon Williams, charged with shooting at E. O. Griggs Thursday night at Carrington and Venable Streets, in Hen-

an insignificant affair. There were no sen-sational developments, nor were there any satisfied disclosures.

And, accordingly, the 'Squire was satisfied. Sergeant Thomas was the only man who wore a frown on his face, and that was because of the low state of the expupils, while the colored attendance has decreasd. Judge Wickham, of the County Court,

charge was made on the report of Dr Lorimer James that the negro had recov-ered his mind.

so he took it to a junk-shop to dispose sion to Buckroe a few days ago. The sale was stopped by the rallway company. Fred Mayner, charged with assaulting and beating Maria Haskins, was arrested While dumping it out of his wheelbarrow on the scales Officer Priddy same along, and in a nonchalant way suggested yesterday morning by County Officer J. L. Branch. that George was doing something that was not strictly according to the constitution and by-laws of the city of Richmond.

and by-laws of the city of recumond.
"Wen he said I dun sumpia wrong I got 'stonished, fer I bin in dis yere place for sixteen years, an ain't bin in no law cote in mer life, an', you know, I got 'cited an' tole 'im I didn't know dars was no learn in it." Clerk Waddill yesterday issued a mar-riage license to the following: Reidy J. Trimmer and Kate P. Cross, both of Hen-

harm in it.

DIDN'T MEAN TO.

Officer Priddy didn't think that George meant to do wrong, and, at his siggestion, 'Squire Lonnie let George go.

Mr. R. P. Tucker's dog will be allowed to live, because Mrs. Vaughan was respicied by the doctors that her little A meeting of the County School Board will be held next Wednesday for the set-tlement of the school affairs of the last

meet at 12 o'clock next Saturday for or Mr. Samuel P. Waddill, clerk of

Mr. L. L. Fussell was thought to be somewhat better yesterday. Forest Lodge Hotel, of Glen Allen, will

Dr. W. E. Broaddus returned Friday night from a two weeks' trip to Bucking-Mr. J. B. Winston and wife, of Glen Al-

len, left Wednesday for the springs.
Mrs. W. T. Saunders and Miss Bessle
Broaddus will return this week from a
ten days' trip to Berryville, Clarke county. Virginia.

WILL PAY LESS TAXES.

Assessors Make Material Reductions in Real Estate Valuations.

cured me. I hope you may be able to cure all dyspeptics. They are legion. "Dr. Q. T. PURSELL." had to be reduced. Some reductions were had to be reduced. Some reductions were Cut rates means a great saving. Watch

short time I ate nourishing food, and the piles, kidney trouble and constipa-tion all disappeared. Flesh, strength and a splendid appetite returned and I went to work

I went to work.

Catarrhal inflammation of the mucous lining of the kidneys, also called "Bright's disease," may be either acute or chronic. The acute form produces symptoms of such prominence that the serious nature of the disease is at once suspected, but the chronic variety may come on so gradually and insidiously that its presence is not suspected until after it hus fastened treaff thereuphly mean its visite.

itself thoroughly upon its victim.

The symptoms may make themselves felt so gradually as to escape notice for a long time, or manifest themselves sud-denly and produce at once alarm. There is pain in the back and loins, at first is pain in the back and loins, at life slight, and occasional afterwards, becoming a steady, dull, heavy pain. There is more or less fever and restlessness, according to the severity of the attack. Also, among the early symptoms there is some disturbances of the organs of the abdo-

men, especially the stomach.

At the appearance of the first symptom.

Peruna should be taken in tablespoonful doses six times each day; or, if more convenient, two tablespoonfuls three times. each day before each meal. This remely strikes at once at the very root of the



Major T. H. Mars.

Major T. H. Mars, of the First Wisconsin Cavalry Regiment, writes from No. 1425 Dunning Street, Chicago, Ill., the

"For years I suffered with catarrh of the kidneys contracted in the army. Medicine did not help me any until a comrade who had been helped by Peruna advised me to try it I bought some at once and soon found blessed relief. I kept taking it for four months and am now well and strong and feel better than I have done for the past twenty years, thanks to Peruna." T. H. Mars.

A book on catarrh sent free by The Peruna Med cine Co., Columbus, O.

went down for ninety days.

Emma Frayser (colored) was fined \$4.60 for beating Ella Booker.

Robert Russell (colored) was assessed \$4.10, on the charge of hitting H. H. Kimball with an iron weight.

Willie Funn (colored) had a little fun

HENRICO COUNTY.

Other News.

last Friday discharged Robert Quiet, a negro man, some time ago adjudged insane by a commission of lunacy. The dis-

The county officials state that they had nothing to do with the prohibition of the sale of beer on the Confectioners' Excur-

Robert Thorp, charged with striking Charles E. Childrey, was before 'Squire Darracott yesterday morning, and was fined \$2.50 and costs.

rico county.

The County Democratic Committee will

County Court, left yesterday for Bruns-wick Inn. Waynesboro. He will return in about ten days. Squire James T. Lewis is sick at his

close on September 1st, after a very successful season

In ten days the assessors of real estate In ten days the assessors of real estate for the city will be ready to turn over the assessment books to the proper authorities. They have about completed their work in Lee District and the footing up of the totals will soon begin. The entire work must be ready by September 1st. The assessors admit that the aggregate of the assessments this year will show a material falling off, when compared with the last assessment. Mr. Allen Stokes, one of the assessors said yesterday in explanation the assessors, said yesterday in explanation

"Within the last few years rents have gone down in Richmond and the owners of real estate have justly complained that their property should not be assessed as high as when it was productive of more high as when too, many houses have been sold at prices far below the bid as:essed valuation, and, of course, these had to be reduced. Some reductions were

that they had been assessed too high in

that they may been assessed too high with past."

Mr. Stokes added that no fast rule had been fixed by the assessors in the matter of lowering the assessments. "Each case had to stand upon its individual merits," he explained, "as no rule could cover all the cases. I think there will be a material failing of in the amount of taxable the cases. I think there will be a material failing off in the amount of taxable values that will be reported by the a sessors, but our work will have been faithfully, theroughly and equitably done." The assessors will be in their offices, Room 14, third floor, City Hall, from 9 o'clock A. M. until 2 P. M. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, during which persons interested in Lee District property can call and inspect the books.

The Commissioner of Revenue, according to the assessments made by the Board of Public Works on rolling stock and flxtures and real estate, has placed on the books of the tax collector the following on the property of the various street-rallway companies:

companies: Value. Tax.

Seven Pines-real...... 750 Seven Pines-personal.... 7,100 This assessment is in accordance with a recent ordinance adopted by the City

A Negro Held There Who Is Wanted for Cutting a Woman in Richmond.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., August 18.—Lee Wright and Arthur Willaims, two negro week ago as a suspicious character and

was sent to jail for three months, as he was sent to jail for three months, as he was unable to furnish a bond of \$20.

Yesterday it was learned that the negro was suspected of being the man who cut a negro woman in Richmond in July, and whom the Richmond authorities had never heen able to locate. To-day he confessed been able to locate. To-day he confessed the whole affair, and said that he had given his name as Bob Short, when ar-rested, to keep from being sent back to Richmond. The Richmond authorities have been communicated with and will

"I bought such a lovely hammock to swing between the posts on our veranda, and now my husband won't let it be

OVER A MILE OF RIBBON MILL-ENDS AT ONE-HALF VALUE

Mr. Lockhart 17,542 yards of Ribbons, which are the mill ends of the latest weave and shades. This entire lot consists of the best and medium grades only, and will be sold at two-fifths to one-half usual price. This ribbon is in range from No. 1 to 6 inches wide, and is of No. 1 to 6 inches wide, and is of refreshingly new and exquisite quality. You will find almost every imaginable kind, width and shade, so varied is the assortment. A schedule of the kinds run this way: Mouss-fine, Liberty Satin, Double Liberty, Double Taffeta, Double-Face Satin, Satin and Gros-Grain, Educa-Face Satin. Satin and Gros-Grain, Edged Taffetas, Fancy Weaves, Solid Colors, Taffetas, Fancy Weaves, Solid Colors, Changeable Colors, Fancy Plaids and Stripes, Sash Ribbons, Neck Ribbons, Waist Ribbons, etc. All placed in easy reach, with a full retinue of salespeople. In the great Mill-End Sale at The Meyer Store to-morrow morning.

Council and is placed on books as a ARRESTS IN NEWPORT NEWS.

Wright and Arthur Whilaims, two negle-lads arrested as suspicious characters, to-day confessed that they stole a valu-able gold watch from Miss Molly Apperson some time ago. The police have under arrest Robert Christian, alias Bob Short, alias Bob Mike. He was arrested about a made and a suspicious churacter and

Just Like a Man.

"Why? Didn't he fall in with the idea?" "Yes, but he fell out of the hammock."

-Chicago Times-Heraid.

IN A BIG SALE. The Meyer Store has just received from